STATE OF MICHIGAN

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, LABOR AND ECONOMIC GROWTH OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE REGULATION

Before the Commissioner of Financial and Insurance Regulation

Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation, Petitioner

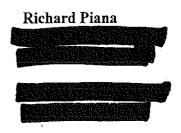
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Enforcement Case No. 08-5695

Richard Piana, Respondent

For the Petitioner:

Marlon F. Roberts Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation P.O. Box 30220 Lansing, MI 48909-7720 For the Respondent:



Issued and entered this day of June 2009 by Ken Ross Commissioner

FINAL DECISION

On February 20, 2009, Chief Deputy Commissioner Stephen R. Hilker issued an Order for Hearing and Order to Respond in this case. The Order for Hearing set forth detailed allegations that Respondent had violated provisions of the Michigan Insurance Code (MCL 500.100, et seq.). The Order to Respond required Respondent to take one of the following actions within 21 days: agree to a resolution of the case, file an answer to the allegations stated in the complaint, request an adjournment, or file a statement that Respondent plans to attend the hearing. Respondent failed to take any of these actions.

On April 14, 2009, the Petitioner filed a Motion for Final Decision by Default. Given Respondent's failure to comply with the Order to Respond, Petitioner's motion is granted.

The factual allegations and conclusions of law stated in the complaint are adopted and made part of this Final Decision.

ORDER

In accordance with sections 1239 and 1244 of the Michigan Insurance Code,
Respondent's insurance producer license and counselor license are revoked.

Ken Ross

Commissioner